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Mr. Bruce A. Greene Mine Superintendent LaSal Mines Union Carbide Corporation LaSal, Utah 84530

RE: Hecla Pond Information

Dear Mr. Greene:

This letter is to confirm our August 11, 1983 conversation regarding an extension of time to complete the proposal on the Hecla Mine Wastewater System. In that meeting Union Carbide estimated that additional information on geology, monitoring, reclamation plans and cost estimates of lined pond, etc., could be submitted by September 16, 1983.

Currently the company is not mining at this facility and the water quality standards for radium and uranium do not appear to be violated. Therefore an extension of time until September 16, 1983 is hereby granted for the company to submit the information as discussed.

Sincerely,

Steven R. McNeal Public Health Engineer

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